

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

SAMANTHA PETTINGILL, et al., :
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 Plaintiffs, :
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 v. : Civil Action No. 05-224-JJF
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 JOHN CALDWELL, DELAWARE SOCIETY :
 FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY :
 TO ANIMALS and JOHN SAVILLE, :
 :
 Defendants. :

ORDER

WHEREAS, the Court held a status conference on April 20, 2007 to determine the status of Plaintiffs' search for counsel;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs represented to the Court that John Malik, Esq. had agreed to represent them in the exclusive capacity of a trial lawyer;

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs conducted a good faith search for another attorney to assist with civil discovery and pleading aspects of their case, but have not yet located one;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1) Plaintiffs are given until June 15, 2007, to try to obtain additional counsel. If Plaintiffs cannot do so by then, they will have to proceed *pro se*.
- 2) Plaintiffs must request John Malik, Esquire, to enter an appearance, with the understanding that his appearance is limited to acting as a trial attorney.

- 3) Upon entering his appearance, Mr. Malik is to confer with Daniel Bennett, Esq. to negotiate a scheduling order that leads to trial. This is to be completed and submitted by June 15, 2007.

4/20/07
DATE

Joseph J. Faurot
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE